

The GLOBE Program – Vision and Mission

Introduction

At the GLOBE International Advisory Committee (GIAC) meeting on Sunday, 17 July 2011, the following changes were proposed to the GLOBE Program's Vision and Mission Document. Both Vision and Mission remain unchanged, but what were previously listed as 4 'Goals' have been changed to 4 'Strategic Priorities' with several word changes to better reflect our direction. The previous text is on the GLOBE website at http://globe.gov/about/vision

GLOBE's Vision

GLOBE's vision is of worldwide community of students, teachers, scientists, and citizens working together to better understand, sustain, and improve Earth's environment at local, regional, and global scales.

GLOBE Mission

To promote the teaching and learning of science, enhance environmental literacy and stewardship, and promote scientific discovery.

Strategic Priorities

- Improve student understanding of environmental and Earth system science across the curriculum;
- Contribute to scientific understanding of Earth as a system;
- Build and sustain a global community of students, teachers, scientists, and citizens;
- Engage the next generation of scientists and global citizens in activities to benefit the environment.

If you have any suggestions or comments on the above revised wording, please pass these to your regional GIAC Representative before 30 September 2011 so that the final version can be approved at the next GIAC meeting in October 2011.

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